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Honorable Deborah Taylor Tate  
Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
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**RE: UNITED CITIES GAS COMPANY, a Division of ATMOS  
ENERGY CORPORATION, INCENTIVE PLAN ACCOUNT  
(IPA) AUDIT  
Docket Nos.: 01-00704 and 02-00850**

Dear Chairman Tate:

Enclosed is an original and thirteen copies of a Request To Take Official Notice by the Consumer Advocate and Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General. Kindly file the attached in this docket. By copy of this letter, we are serving all parties of record. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (615) 741-8700. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Russell T. Perkins".

Russell T. Perkins  
Deputy Attorney General

Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record

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**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**IN RE:**

**UNITED CITIES GAS COMPANY, a division of  
ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION INCENTIVE  
PLAN ACCOUNT (IPA) AUDIT**

**DOCKET NOS: 01-00704 and  
02-00850**

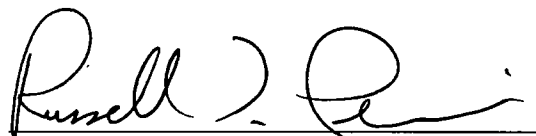
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**REQUEST TO TAKE OFFICIAL NOTICE**

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Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-5-313(5)(B), the Tennessee Regulatory Authority staff participating as a party in this matter hereby requests that the Authority take official notice of the entire record in Authority Docket No. 97-01364, *In Re: Application of United Cities Gas Company to Establish an Experimental Performance-Based Ratemaking Mechanism*, and of the entire record in Authority Docket No. 00-00844, *In Re: United Cities Gas Company's Petition Regarding Affiliated Transaction and Request for Permission to Include New Agreement Covering East Tennessee-NORA Delivery Point*.

Respectfully submitted,



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this <sup>7<sup>th</sup></sup>~~6<sup>th</sup>~~ day of June, 2004, a true and exact copy of the foregoing was served via first class U.S. Mail or facsimile to:

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